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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Hsing-Sheng Liang, Michael Chern, Hong Huynh, Phillip Ting,  
and Saeed Seyed  
Serial No.: 10/614,908  
For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR SECURING A HEAT SINK TO A  
CIRCUIT BOARD COMPONENT  
Filing Date: July 8, 2003  
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Respectfully submitted,



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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 1, 2005, please amend the above-identified Application as follows: